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# FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2006

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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| Application Number   | 09/887,042    |
| Filing Date          | June 25, 2001 |
| First Named Inventor | Nobuo Asano   |
| Examiner Name        | Don Nguyen Vo |
| Art Unit             | 2631          |
| Attorney Docket No.  | 31238-172689  |

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**FEE CALCULATION** (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.)**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| <u>Application Type</u> | <u>FILING FEES</u> |                              | <u>SEARCH FEES</u> |                              | <u>EXAMINATION FEES</u> |                              |                       |
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|                         | <u>Fee (\$)</u>    | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u>    | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u>         | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fees Paid (\$)</u> |
| Utility                 | 300                | 150                          | 500                | 250                          | 200                     | 100                          |                       |
| Design                  | 200                | 100                          | 100                | 50                           | 130                     | 65                           |                       |
| Plant                   | 200                | 100                          | 300                | 150                          | 160                     | 80                           |                       |
| Reissue                 | 300                | 150                          | 500                | 250                          | 600                     | 300                          |                       |
| Provisional             | 200                | 100                          | 0                  | 0                            | 0                       | 0                            |                       |

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

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| <u>Total Claims</u> | <u>Extra Claims</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> |
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| <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> |
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Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

50 25

Multiple dependent claims

200 100

360 180

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Multiple Dependent Claims

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HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Submission of Reissue Application: Consent of

Assignee; etc.; Statement Under 37 CFR 3,73(b) and  
Consent of Assignee; Statement of Non-Assignment .00

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| <b>SUBMITTED BY</b> |                              |                                      |                                 |
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| Name (Print/Type)   | Catherine M. Voorhees        | Date                                 | April 4, 2006                   |

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Nobuo ASANO et al.

Art Unit: 2631

Application No. 09/887,042

Examiner: Don Nguyen Vo

Confirmation No.: 6836

Filed: June 25, 2001

Atty. Docket No. 31238-172689

For: AUTOMOBILE ON-BOARD  
AND/OR PORTABLE  
TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Customer No.

Allowed: March 10, 2006

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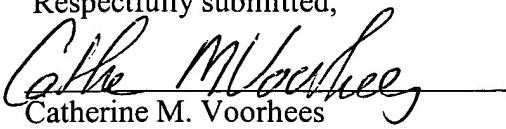
**SUBMISSION OF REISSUE APPLICATION: CONSENT OF  
ASSIGNEE; STATEMENT OF NON-ASSIGNMENT  
AND STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

In response to a telephone conference with Examiner Don Vo on March 7, 2006, submitted herewith are facsimile copies of 1) an original Reissue Application: Consent of Assignee and 2) an original Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

It is believed that the above submissions should satisfy the formal requirements of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Date: April 4, 2006

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| <b>REISSUE APPLICATION: CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE;<br/>STATEMENT OF NON-ASSIGNMENT</b>  |   | Docket Number (Optional)<br>31238-172689      |
| <small>This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.</small>  |   |   |
| Name of Patentee(s)<br>Nobuo ASANO<br>Osama KATO  |   |   |
| Patent Number<br>5,677,929  | Date Patent Issued<br>October 14, 1997  |   |
| Title of Invention<br><b>AUTOMOBILE ON-BOARD AND/OR PORTABLE TELEPHONE SYSTEM</b>   |   |   |
| 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Filed herein is a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b). (Form PTO/SB/96)<br><br>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Ownership of the patent is in the inventor(s), and no assignment of the patent is in effect. |   |   |
| <small>One of boxes 1 or 2 above must be checked. If multiple assignees, complete this form for each assignee. If box 2 is checked, skip the next entry and go directly to "Name of Assignee".</small>                                    |   |   |
| <small>The written consent of all assignees and inventors owning an undivided interest in the original patent is included in this application for reissue.</small>  |   |   |
| The assignee(s) owning an undivided interest in said original patent is/are _____<br>and the assignee(s) consents to the accompanying application for reissue.  |   | Matsushita Electrical Industrial<br>Co., Ltd. |
| Matsushita Electrical Industrial Co., Ltd.<br>Name of assignee/inventor (if not assigned)<br><i>Nobuo Asano</i>   |   |   |
| Signature   | Miroki Naito<br>Director, IP Development Center<br><small>Authorized Signer Officer</small> | Date<br><i>March 29, 2006</i>                 |
| Typed or printed name and title of person signing for assignee (if assigned)  |   |   |



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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Matsushita Electrical Industrial Co., Ltd.Application No./Patent No./Control No.: 5,677,929 Filed/Issue Date: October 14, 1997Entitled: AUTOMOBILE ON-BOARD AND/OR PORTABLE TELEPHONE SYSTEMMatsushita Electrical Industrial Co., Ltd., a corporation  
(Name of Assignee)  
(Type of Assignee, e.g. corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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As required by 37 CFR 3.73(b)(4)(i), the documentary evidence of the chain of title from the original owner to the assignee was, or concurrently is being, submitted for recordation pursuant to 37 CFR 3.11.

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See MPEP 302.08)

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Hiroki NaitoMarch 27, 2006

Signature

Date

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